

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Currently amended) A wire management grommet for effective distribution of plural disparate cable combinations comprising:

an outer peripheral member and an inner perforate member;

said outer peripheral member being constructed and arranged to frictionally engage a planar surface, said member being formed from a first material having sufficient mechanical stiffness for effective frictional engagement;

said inner perforate member being overmolded about said outer peripheral member to form a unitary wire management device, and being formed from a second material having sufficient flexibility to permit passage of disparate cable combinations;

said inner perforate member having a plurality of radially extending slits incorporated therein and extending therethrough, said slits constructed and arranged in one to one correspondence with ~~[[having]]~~ a plurality of radially dispersed openings constructed and arranged for strain-free engagement of plural disparate cable combinations whereby each

radial slit extends from a center point of said inner perforate member and intersects a corresponding radially dispersed opening;

whereby upon passage of said plural disparate combination of cables therethrough, said inner perforate member returns to its original configuration.

Claim 2. (Original) The wire management grommet of claim 1, wherein said first material is polypropylene.

Claim 3. (Original) The wire management grommet of claim 1, wherein said second material is a thermal elastic elastomer.

Claim 4. (Currently Amended) A wire management grommet for effective distribution of plural disparate cable combinations comprising:

an outer peripheral member and an inner perforate member;

said outer peripheral member being constructed and arranged to frictionally engage a planar surface, said member being formed from a first material having sufficient mechanical stiffness for effective frictional engagement;

said inner perforate member being overmolded about said outer peripheral member to form a unitary wire management device, and being formed from a second material having sufficient flexibility

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to permit passage of disparate cable combinations ;

said inner perforate member being formed as a disk having a center point and an outer perimeter, said disk including a plurality of ~~radial slits extending therethrough and a corresponding number of radially arranged apertures proximate the outer perimeter; wherein each radial slit extends from said center point to intersect said corresponding aperture~~ radially extending slits incorporated therein and extending therethrough, said slits constructed and arranged in one to one correspondence with a plurality of radially dispersed openings constructed and arranged for strain-free engagement of plural disparate cable combinations whereby each radial slit extends from ~~[[a]]~~ said center point of said inner perforate member and intersects a corresponding radially dispersed opening;

whereby upon passage of said plural disparate combination of cables therethrough, said inner perforate member returns to its original configuration for strain-free engagement of plural disparate cable combinations.

Claim 5.(Original) The wire management grommet of claim 1, wherein said first material is polypropylene.

Claim 6.(Original) The wire management grommet of claim 1,
wherein said second material is a thermal elastic elastomer.